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**Region VIII**

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Mary Dalton, Medicaid & Health Services Manager  
Montana Department of Health & Human Services  
1400 Broadway  
PO Box 202951  
Helena, MT 59620

Re: SPA MT-10-013

Dear Ms Dalton:

We are pleased to inform you that CMS has approved Montana State Plan Amendment (SPA) 10-013, "Update mandatory eligibility provisions and estate recovery limitations as required by MIPPA" with an effective date of January 1, 2010.

We appreciate the cooperation extended by your staff in the review and approval of this state plan amendment.

If you have any questions regarding this SPA please contact Diana Maiden at 303-844-7114.

Sincerely,

/s/

Richard C. Allen  
Associate Regional Administrator  
Division for Medicaid and Children's Health Operations

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